

The following figure (Figure 184) demonstrates how to obtain information on a mail group:

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NML    New Messages and Responses
RML    Read/Manage Messages
SML    Send a Message
       Query/Search for Messages
AML    Become a Surrogate (SHARED,MAIL or Other)
       Personal Preferences ...
       Other MailMan Functions ...
       Help (User/Group Info., etc.) ...

Select MailMan Menu Option: help (User/Group Info., etc.)

    User Information
    Group Information
    Remote User Information
    New Features in MailMan
    General MailMan Information
    Questions and Answers on MailMan
    Manual for MailMan Users

Select Help (User/Group Info., etc.) Option: group Information

Select MAIL GROUP NAME: TENTH FLOOR

NAME: TENTH FLOOR                                TYPE: public
ALLOW SELF ENROLLMENT?: NO                        REFERENCE COUNT: 45
LAST REFERENCED: JUL 11, 1997

DESCRIPTION:   Mail group for ISC employees located on the 10th floor.

ORGANIZER:    BLACK,DONALD

Member                                         Last Used MailMan
GOLD,MICHAEL (San Francisco CIOFO)           10 Sep 98 14:01
MAGENTA,MICHAL - Q... Continuum               10 Sep 98 09:31
BLUEGREEN,GREGORY J. (CIO Field Office San F 10 Sep 98 14:08
BLUE,THOMAS E. - COMPUTER SPECIALIST (San Fr 10 Sep 98 14:10

Member of Group: VIRUS ALERT

Select MAIL GROUP NAME:
  
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Here we chose to get Help on mail groups.

Here we entered the mail group name. You can also enter two question marks and choose from a list of mail groups.

MailMan displays information about the mail group.

Figure 184: Obtaining Mail Group Information Online

In this example (Figure 184), we wanted to display general information about a mail group.

As you can see from the previous example, we chose the Group Information option on the Help (User/Group Info., etc.) menu. MailMan asked us to enter the mail group's name.

In this case, we entered the first portion of the "**TENTH FLOOR**" mail group name at the "Select MAIL GROUP NAME:" prompt.



For more information on entering names, please refer to the "Address Functionality" topic in Chapter 4 in this manual.

After entering the group name, MailMan displayed all of the information about that mail group. You'll notice that the mail group TYPE field has a value of "public." If this mail group had been created as a personal mail group, it would have a value of "private." Also, we can see that this group does *not* allow self-enrollment. Thus, if we weren't already a member of this group but wanted to join, we would have to contact the Mail Group Organizer (i.e., "BLACK,DONALD") and ask to be enrolled.

In addition, following the list of individuals in the mail group, MailMan displays the name(s) of any group(s) this mail group belongs to. In this case, you can see that the group is a member of the VIRUS ALERT mail group.